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WEDNESDAY, DEC. 10, 1890.

RITTENHOUSE'S RASCALITY EXPOSED.

There is not a leading member of the Alliance in North Carolina who has not for a long time known the CHRONICLE's estimate of one D. H. RITTENHOUSE, who is the Private Secretary of Col. L. L. Polk, President of the National Alliance. We have believed him a scoundrel of the deepest dye, and have refrained from saying so simply because we did not have absolute proof. Happily for the Alliance he has been found out in his machinations and exposed.

Of course Col. Polk will immediately discharge in merited disgrace his private secretary who has so basely and treacherously abused his misplaced confidence.

The Alliance is strengthened by the exposure of such wolves in sheep's clothing as RITTENHOUSE. No organization is ever injured by promptly exposing and driving out the rascals who play upon the credulity of the patriotic and honest members. The rank and file of the Alliance is honest and patriotic, and will not for a moment condone the offense of such a corrupt man as RITTENHOUSE. All will say, "Let us be rid of such men."

TURN THE RASCALS OUT.

DR. MACUNE got his endorsement from the National Alliance by such a slim majority that it is worth nothing as a vindication. It is the strongest evidence that he is unworthy of representing or speaking for the honest farmers. After hearing all the facts, ten members of the committee thought him guilty and fifteen thought him innocent. They were unanimously of the opinion that COL. POLK had done nothing dishonorable.

It is very unfortunate for the Alliance that DR. MACUNE was white-washed. He ought to have been given the grand bounce, and he and RITTENHOUSE ought to have been cast into outer darkness together. They are a pretty pair of Reformers! For RITTENHOUSE to continue to talk of political tricksters and MACUNE to continue to denounce bribe-taking by public men will be to severely condemn their own corruption.

The Alliance is all right but it must rid itself of the scoundrels who are seeking to use it to enable them to put money in their purses.

THE THIRD PARTY MOVEMENT.

(Atlanta Constitution.)

We observe that our Republican exchanges in the west are very much disturbed by the serious talk among the Alliancemen at the Ocala convention in regard to a third party. It is natural that this should be so, for all the talk and agitation on the subject have thus far been confined to the western Alliancemen—men who are tired of the Republican party, and who have not yet been able to overcome their prejudice to the Democratic party.

The movement is lead by Kansas Alliancemen, and if it amounts to anything and succeeds in carrying the negroes of that section with it, it means the practical destruction of the Republican party in the west and the northwest. It is natural, therefore, that the organs should be discussing the matter with symptoms of alarm.

We hold fast to the opinion, however, that the third party movement will never reach the period of real organization. It is a movement that has no serious impulse behind it, and there is no reason for its existence. The farmers, as a class, are blessed with common sense, and they undoubtedly perceive that they can carry their plans to success only by an alliance with the Democratic party. It is true that the Western farmers are free to form a third party, but in an experiment of this kind they cannot take Southern farmers with them. The conditions here are all different from those in the West. Here the whites are compelled to form themselves into a compact body to resist the dangers of negro domination, and in any movement that looks to a division of the whites the agricultural classes would be the worst sufferers. The Southern farmers understand and appreciate this fact, and they have always been the first to frown down any proposition calculated to destroy the harmony of what is called the Democratic party.

We believe, on the contrary, that the southern Alliancemen, by their wise and conservative attitude, will nip the third party movement in the bud, and that they will be influential enough to convince the Alliancemen of the northwest that their proper place is in the Democratic party. We base this belief on the character and purpose of the Alliance platform recently adopted at Ocala. With very slight modifications that platform will suit any Democrat, and there can be no doubt that the next Democratic convention, recognizing this fact, will make an enunciation of principles on which every Alliance man can stand. Taking the Ocala platform as a test, there is little difference between a genuine Democrat and an Allianceman.

RITTENHOUSE GUILTY.

POLK'S PRIVATE SECRETARY'S
DEAL WITH BLAINE.

A Secret Interview Exposed in Which
Blaine Meets an Alliance Traitor
Who Sought to Sell Out His Order--
Rittenhouse Will Have to Go.

(Atlanta Constitution.)

OCALA, Fla., Dec. 7.—It now appears that all the trouble among Alliance leaders is due to the machinations of Rittenhouse, President Polk's troublesome secretary.

This man was also traced to the front door of James G. Blaine's residence, in Washington city, three or four days after the appearance of the Washington Post interview, in which Rittenhouse said that the Blaine reciprocity idea was acceptable to the Alliance, and he was not far out of the way on silver, and that if he would come a little nearer to Alliance platform on other matters, the farmers would not have an unkind feeling for him.

The whole story has been brought out by a communication signed by sixteen members of the investigating committee and handed to President Polk by Colonel Beverly of Virginia.

Rittenhouse's Guilt.

In this letter the investigators say that facts have been developed which show that Rittenhouse is not a proper person to be the private secretary of the Alliance President and that these facts are sufficient to throw suspicion on the secretary's conduct. There is no longer any doubt that Rittenhouse will be shipped, and his interest in this affair becomes insignificant in comparison with the light thrown upon the plans of James G. Blaine, but the matter of greatest importance to the Alliance is the fact that the disclosure rids the leaders and order of a troublesome man and a breeder of dissensions.

Polk, Livingston and Macune are now on friendly terms, and the breach which so seriously threatened the prosperity of the order a week ago has now almost disappeared. No one here believes that Polk had any knowledge of what Rittenhouse was doing. It is simply a matter of regret that he was so unfortunate in the selection of a subordinate.

He Acknowledges It.

It is said that Mr. Vincent, a delegate from Kansas, received a letter from Rittenhouse acknowledging the authorship of The Globe-Democrat special, and making charges against Macune and other members of the order. This letter was expected here by the evening's mail, but did not arrive.

The men who traced Rittenhouse to Blaine's door are Mr. N. A. Dunning, one of the editors of The Economist, and Mr. J. T. Tillman, of Tennessee, a member of the national executive board of the Alliance. The interview in The Washington Post appeared on November 14th, and Rittenhouse was traced to Blaine's house, in Jackson park, on or about the 19th.

The Blaine Conspiracy.

Mr. Dunning said: "We heard that he had an engagement with Blaine, and we went there to see whether it was true. Gray and I went to the State department, leaving Tillman on the watch at Blaine's house. When Rittenhouse went into the State department he was dressed up so that we did not recognize him, but we knew him when he came out, and we followed him through the White House grounds to Blaine's house. We stood there behind the bushes and saw him go up to the door and knock. He did not get in because Blaine was sick, but we understand he got an interview next day."

Mr. Tillman says:

"I was called to Washington by the chairman of the executive committee to examine the secretary's books, and the financial condition of the order about November 25th. Judge A. D. Dunning requested me to meet him in front of the White House at 2 o'clock p. m. I met him and Col. B. F. Gray in front of the White House, and Dunning requested me to accompany him and Gray in front of Blaine's house at the park. Dunning and Gray said to me that Rittenhouse was endeavoring to make arrangements with Blaine to throw the influence of the Alliance to the support of the Republican party in 1892, and that Rittenhouse was to have a secret conference at 2:30 o'clock with James G. Blaine to effect that arrangement. About that time Rittenhouse appeared, handsomely dressed, and wearing a high hat, at Blaine's residence. At this time Dunning and Gray arrived, and Dunning said we had done a great day's work in discovering Rittenhouse and the Blaine conspiracy, and we had done a great day's work in behalf of the Alliance to discover and stop such conduct. Rittenhouse went in, accompanied by a leading Republican, said to be Dick Hinton."

The Antecedents of Hinton.

After this interview it is a matter of interest to know the antecedents of Dick Hinton. He was prominent in the John Brown agitation in Kansas before the war, and during the war was Colonel of a negro regiment. Subsequently he occupied a government position in it by reason of his part in the labor agitation in which he advocated the principles of the Henry George party. When that party split he went off with the socialistic wing, which he defended. Later he went out to survey lands, and he is still connected with the irrigation survey. His reputation is that of an adroit politician and agitator. It is stated here that Col. Dick Hinton's secretary, is Hinton, the correspondent of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. It is also said that Rittenhouse obtained access to Blaine through Hinton, and Blaine's brother, who has a position in one of the departments. The statements of Dunning and Tillman give good grounds for suspecting that James G. Blaine knew something about the Globe-Democrat special which proclaimed an Alliance scandal and a breach among the leaders. It appears that while the bombshell was being thrown into the Alliance from Republican batteries, the other and the Democratic party are getting nearer together.

Closing up to the Democrats.

The convention has officially decided that the word "ownership," in the railroad clause was a typographical error, and control only was expressed in the original document. On free coinage and opposition to the national banking system, they voice the sentiment of the majority of Democrats. About the only bone of contention left is the Sub-treasury plan, and on this there are many shades of opinion. It is hoped by many Alliance men that time and discussion will

develop a monetary plan upon which all Democrats can unite. H. H. of Missouri, is the leader in this view, and he has followers in several of the Southern States. Macune's Vindication was by a Vote of 15 to 10.

McDowell, of Tennessee, chairman of the investigating committee, to-night gives the press a statement to the effect that Polk and Livingston were completely exonerated by a unanimous vote of the committee, and that fifteen thought Macune innocent, while ten thought him guilty of the offenses charged. As the committee could not agree he states that for the sake of harmony a compromise was effected on the report in the shape in which it came in. Two Members Fight About Macune.

It is reported to-night that Ben Terrell and McDowell had a personal difficulty last night on a balcony of the Ocala house, because Terrell resented McDowell's reflections on Macune. The story goes that Terrell knocked out two of his antagonist's teeth.

IT IS THE SAME WAY EVERYWHERE.

(Wilson Advance.)

The sentiment expressed by Nathan Bass, Wilson county's representative to the editor covers the ground entirely. He said to us: "Of course I shall vote for Vance; the convention that gave me my nomination instructed me to vote for Vance and I could not have accepted that nomination and refused to carry out the instructions. I don't see how any honorable man could do so."

Dr. H. F. Freeman, our Senator, has said in terms that cannot be misunderstood that he would vote for Vance.

'T WAS BUT A DREAM.

(Special Cor. STATE CHRONICLE.)

I slept; and in my troubled slumbers saw An angel, clothed in radiant beauty, draw Near to my side, and bending over me, It whispered softly, "Why dreamest thou that SHE Cares aught for thee?"

I slept again; and in my dream could see The form of one I dearly love drawn near to me And timidly bend o'er, with tender, love-lit eyes, Which, though they laughed, yet could not all disguise Her love for me.

My heart in rapture beat. Ah! could it be That one so pure and good could love the likes of me! Alas! my eyes unclosed and saw the moon's pale gleam, And, starting up, I heard the night wind hoarsely scream: "'T was but a dream!"

"'T was but a dream," the cold wind shrieked again, And my sad heart echoed the wind's refrain: "'T was but a dream."

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